



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

Lake et al.

Application No.: 09/752,588

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS TO  
INPUT AND OUTPUT HAPTIC DATA

Examiner: Amr Awad

Art Unit: 2675

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Dear Examiner:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 20, 2004, and Advisory Action mailed December 7, 2004 please accept a Request for Continued Examination, enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks for the above referenced application.

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